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Applicants: Knapp et al. Art Unit: 1641
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1. Amendment in Response to the Office Action mailed March 11, 2003 (18 pages);
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For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	Calculations
Total Claims	44	43	1	x \$09	x \$18	\$18.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x \$42	X \$84	\$ 0.00
Multiple Claims				\$140	\$280	\$ 0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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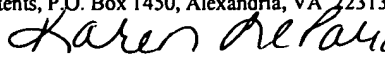
Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 11, 2003, in connection with the above-identified patent application, entry of the amendments and consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

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